

<b>DISPATCH</b>		CLASSIFICATION <b>SECRET</b>	DISPATCH SYMBOL AND NO. <b>ROMA-58806</b>
TO <b>Chief, EK</b>	INFO <b>Chief, FE</b> <b>Chief of Station, Germany</b>		HEADQUARTERS FILE NO. <b>[ ]</b>
FROM <b>Chief, Munich Liaison Base</b>	DATE <b>21 May 1962</b>		RE "43-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE)
SUBJECT <b>Operational/TIPNIS.</b> <b>Ernest LAUGG</b>	MARKED FOR INDEXING		NO INDEXING REQUIRED
ACTION REQUIRED <b>See paragraph 3</b>	INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED BY QUALIFIED HQ. DESK ONLY		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
REFERENCES			
<p><b>ROMA 58891, 5 April 1962</b></p> <p>1. Recent intercept coverage on Hans RECHENBERG [ ] has revealed that Subject is currently working for UPHILL. Results thus far however do not conclusively prove that he is witting of UPHILL sponsorship. (Chief, FE: Details on Hans RECHENBERG and his activities are available in EK files.)</p> <p>2. A copy of the first intercept pertaining to Subject was sent to Headquarters and COS, Germany with reference. Since that time RECHENBERG has established direct contact, probably through the good offices of Dr. Robert SERVATIUS, Adolf KUCHMANN's defense attorney and/or Francois GENDON (details on these individuals and their relationship with RECHENBERG known to Headquarters and COS). In any case LAUGG calls RECHENBERG in Munich circa 10 May 1962 and they proceed to discuss what appears to be a plan to establish an UPHILL operation against South Vietnam. They believe that a suitable cover would be a man who trades in rice and rubber. LAUGG has contact to one PHAM HUTCO, residing in Paris, 87 Rue Lafayette, a medical doctor, married with 6 children. Apparently the latter plays some part in the LAUGG/RECHENBERG planning.</p> <p>3. Traces are requested on PHAM HUTCO.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">[ ]</p> <p>APPROVED BY: [ ]</p> <p>Distribution:  3 - C/EK  2 - C/FE  2 - COS/G</p> <p style="text-align: right;">DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY  CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  SOURCE/METHOD/EXEMPTION 3B2B  NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT  DATE 2007</p> <p>BASIC DOCUMENT FILED IN [ ]</p>			
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